

From Alfred St. Louis, Philadelphia 2/6/64

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May I ask the favor to
confer with our friend George
Thompson & see if he can
& will consent to give a lecture
or rather an oration at our
Academy of Music - Thoe
has some knowledge of my
management of such & on this
occasion, I would try to secure
the Academy - which will hold
it to 4000 & give our friend a
proper reception -

We would be delighted to
have thee accompany him,
should he come to our city,
& our house & its hospitalities

I send the "Press" of the 30th ult - What
a just commentary to thy noble position.
If two votes aye! for the amendment.

are offered you.

Should others put in their
claims for conducting the
presenting of our friend to
the Philadelphia Audience,
they will doubtless be more
worthy & efficient, & I would
withdraw - Only I desire
to speak early & speak first.

Thou wilt remember I referred
to it last Dec. when thou
was here.

My deepest sympathy goes out
to thee for the sickness of dear
Mrs G. She is truly one for us all
so loved dearly, & her visit to us will
always carry a sweet halo about it.
We all send our love & hope for the
speedy recovery of the sick & the restor-
ation of thy strength & health
Thine Alfred

